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THE CLAIM OF MRS. ABLE TO BE HER SISTER UNACCOUNTABLE TO HER.

She Says She Has an Abundance of Sisters and that her Family History is Well Known—Once Before Claimed as a Sister

"I am constantly learning something new," Mrs. Paddock (Maizie Mitchell) said last evening, as she sat in the Novelty Theatre in Williams street, listening to the story of a woman who had been claimed as a sister, "but I was not prepared to learn in the newspapers this morning that my name is Baker, and not Mitchell, as my parents and my numerous brothers and sisters have fondly supposed for some years. One brother, who is now 78 years of age, lives at Long Branch; Sophia, my eldest sister; Mrs. Albaugh, my second sister, and I. Lomax, my brother, have been on the stage all those were my mother's children by a former marriage. Then I have two young sisters. As to the claim of the woman, Able of Bloomsbury, N. Y., that I am her sister, I have concluded from all the circumstances that the woman is honest in her belief, though how she could deceive herself I cannot understand. It is a fact that this

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is absurd," for Mrs. Galloway, a member of the church, told me she was a large, brawny woman, and very dark-complexioned.

"My sister," she said, "is a sister by several other people. Some years ago, when my mother was alive and travelling with me, she was travelling with her suitor followed by a crowd of people, and among the people whom he met that he was my brother, and made the most complete arrangements for him that he could. When my mother's intentions began first to be perjured, though he kept entirely in the background, he was not far from the scene. I have found that even the conductors on the railroad had been entreated to care for us by the name of my brother, and I was left to serve us. The man had said over and over that he was my brother. My mother said that she was my sister, and I was to take. It was evident to us that he was under innocent delusion.

"I then wrote to Mr. Paddock and

The Police Justices to be Named To-day

The Mayor will to-day nominate to the Board of Aldermen successors to Police Justices McGowan and Herman. The politicians said yesterday that Tuesday the Mayor had determined to nominate Dr. John H. Tappan, and that he would name John H. Croker (Tammany). In the afternoon they doubt whether Mr. Croker would be nominated. The chances were said to be even between Dr. Tappan and Thomas House, who called the Mayor yesterday. It was said that they pulled in Mr. Croker's nomination. The eleven aldermen will meet to-day to elect the police justices.

Marrying to Get Out of Jail.—Samuel Morreessor, who has been for some time in Ludlow street jail under an order of arrest issued by Judge Dudge, for alleged breach of promise of marriage, was brought before Judge Dudge in Supreme Court Chambers, yesterday on application for his discharge, his having expressed a desire to marry. The court, after hearing the two witnesses before Judge Larroscure, who is holding the case, and after a brief examination of the ceremony was performed. Morreessor was then released from custody.

Baker John Kellmer Kille Himself.—John Kellmer, a baker, aged 45, who born at Shipburn estate, Newark, rose himself at 3 o'clock yesterday morning, to the front of a train at the Rose station of the Morris and Essex Railroad. He was

Low's Official Majority.
The official canvass of the vote for Mayor Brooklyn was finished last evening. Low received 12,434 votes, and the opposition 11,495. Low's plurality was 1,944. His majority was 491.

Patt's Hopes to Sing on Friday.
Miss Patt's cold was disappearing yesterday, and she is expected to be able to sing Friday evening.

Signal Office Prediction.
Fair weather, north to west winds, slight to followed by falling barometer, nearly stationary pressure.

SPARKS FROM THE TELEGRAPH

Hudson left Toronto yesterday for San Francisco, en route to America.

The Crown Prince Frederick William will visit the city of Italy when he returns from his tour to the Atlantic of Spain.

A train on the Mexican National Railway has been wrecked by a falling tree, killing several persons, maimed and wounded.

Irishmen despatched says that the political crisis in Ireland is being settled by mutual concessions on both sides at issue between Russell and Balfour.

Wills and Scarris H. Wills, the latter of whom Washington has been ordered to be executed before the British Bureau for using deceptive devices.

It is reported that the British government will send a large force of the railroads, and will adopt a new financial plan. Whether the city will adopt it depends on the result.

The Cuban Treasury, upon authorization from the Cuban government, has secured from the Spanish Bank of Commerce a loan of 100,000,000 pesetas at the interest of 7 per cent per annum.

Mr. Henry Clappin, member of Parliament for London, proposes to continue his efforts to induce the British government to take steps to prevent immigrants from the United States, which is steadily increasing in population, to be admitted to Canada. He has already, through a private bill, ordered a general suspension of machines for a period of five weeks, beginning December 1, 1905, and ending May 1, 1906.

Mr. Edward McNahon (Farnelle) and Mr. J. P. O'Connell (Farnelle) have been nominated for election in the House of Commons for the constituency of the county of Dublin, in consequence of the resignation of Mr. O'Shaughnessy (Dublin). Mr. O'Connell is a member of the House of Commons, who has been appointed Spanish Minister at Washington. He has been instructed to arrange a meeting with the Spanish Minister at London, and attention is to be paid to the interests of Ulster.

The Bureau of Statistics reports that 49,085 immigrants arrived in the United States the month of October against 67,526 during the same month of the preceding year. The number of passengers last October arrived, or 100,976 less than the number of passengers who arrived in the same month of the preceding year.

A wreck of freight cars on the New York and England Railroad blocked the tracks of that road here of the New York, New Haven and Hartford, when they ran parallel, near Hartford last night and delayed the east and the west bound fast express trains between Boston and New York about an hour and a half.

Dr. Adel Ames, Secretary of the Boston Board of Local Examiners of the Prussian office, has upon his request been suspended by Commissioner Dudley, pending the investigation of charges preferred against him to the effect that he has improperly used his position to further a private business enterprise.